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Sunrise, Mono Lake

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## SITUATION SUMMARY

### Highly Pathogenic H5N8 Avian Influenza Confirmed in Commercial Turkey Flock in California

Jan. 24, 2015— In a press release, the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) has confirmed the presence of highly pathogenic (HPAI) H5N8 avian influenza in a commercial turkey flock in Stanislaus County, California. This is the first finding of HPAI in commercial poultry during the ongoing disease incident in the Pacific Flyway. **No human** cases of these avian influenza viruses have been detected in the United States, Canada, or internationally, and there continues to be no immediate public health concern.

Samples from the flock, which experienced increased mortality, were tested at the California Animal Health & Food Safety Laboratory System (CAHFS) and the APHIS National Veterinary Services Laboratories in Ames, Iowa confirmed the finding. APHIS is partnering closely with the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA), which has quarantined the facility. APHIS and CDFA have initiated an incident command response, and APHIS will assist CDFA in depopulating the remaining birds on the property to prevent the spread of the disease. Press Release attached.

Cal OES TDO John Hudson and CUEA Don Boland are providing assistance to CDFA and USDA to ensure adequate cellular communications connectivity at the designated ICP. Verizon Wireless responded with a portable repeater truck. Per the Cal OES TDO at 1611 hours, Verizon will coordinate site access and will call for assistance if needed.

#### **Weather of Concern**

- High Wind Warning in effect until 2200 hours this evening for areas in Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino, and Ventura Counties.
- High Wind Warning in effect until 1000 hours Sunday for areas in Riverside and San Diego Counties.

### Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: <a href="http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\_bc\_cal.php">http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\_bc\_cal.php</a>

- Santa Ana winds will peak today and Sunday morning, then decrease Sunday afternoon.
- Peak wind gusts 50-80 mph in wind prone areas (mountain passes) with widespread gusts 25 to 40 mph, except at the coast.
- Light rain developing Monday into Tuesday 0.10 to 0.30 inches.

#### Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **WEATHER**

#### **WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:**

#### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

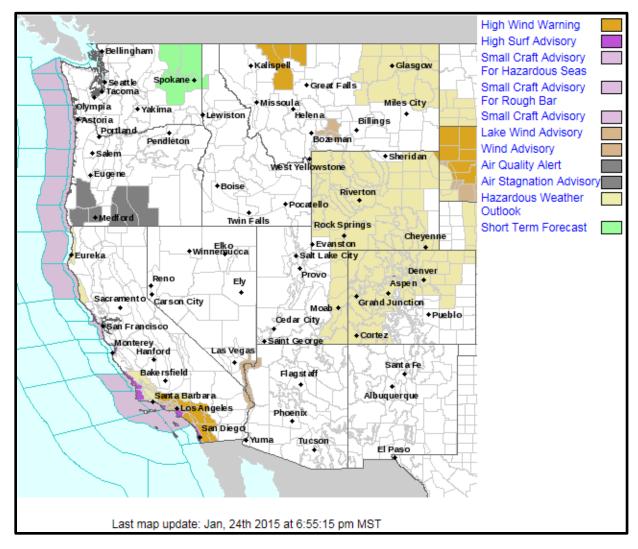
Fair skies with above normal temperatures and drier than normal conditions expected through early next week, except for some foggy valley locations. High pressure will remain over the West Coast the next few days bringing light winds to the valley and breezy north to east winds to the mountains. A low pressure system moving up from the south will bring a chance of light precipitation next Tuesday and Wednesday with the most likely threat over the mountains.

#### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

Strong offshore flow will continue over most of Southern California through the weekend. The strongest winds during this event will likely occur this morning through the early afternoon hours. During this period, east and northeast winds of 25-35 mph will be widespread and some gusts approaching 80 mph will be possible in the mountains. Ventura and Los Angeles Counties will see the peak wind velocities today. Winds tonight into Sunday will not be quite as strong, but a shift to a more easterly wind component will favor the Banning Pass as well as Orange and San Diego Counties. The winds will be strong in the mountains of Southern California as well and will not be confined to just the usual passes and canyons. Meanwhile, the San Joaquin Valley will see strong inversions with low clouds and Tule fog throughout the weekend. Highs outside the San Joaquin Valley will be 10-15 degrees above normal today and Sunday with temperatures well into the 80s at lower elevations. Minimum relative humidity will approach the single digits this afternoon, but may be just a bit higher Sunday. Monday, an upper level low from Baja is expected to lift northward, bringing cooler and more humid weather. Some light rain will be possible Monday evening into Tuesday across much of the area as the system lifts quickly to the north. Rainfall will generally remain under a half inch, but some inland areas including the deserts and Sierras, may see over an inch of precipitation. The system will be a warm one and snow levels will be over 10,000 feet. A similarly warm tropical system may reach the area next Thursday.



## STATE WEATHER MAP



## **FIRE ACTIVITY**

### **Preparedness Levels**

**National Preparedness Level 1** 

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

**Southern California** 

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

**Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential** 

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

**California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings** 

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

**NWS California River Forecast Center:** 

http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/



# **RECOVERY ACTIVITIES**

### Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals
  and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters
  recover from the earthquake.
- As a result of President Obama's major disaster declaration, the U.S. Small Business Administration declared Napa and Solano
  counties, making residents and business owners eligible to apply for low-interested physical loss disaster loans. This declaration also
  made available low-interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) for businesses to apply in the primary counties of Napa and
  Solano, as well as the contiguous counties of Contra Costa, Lake, Sacramento, Sonoma, and Yolo.

### **Recovery Activities**

#### **Public Assistance**

- RPA: 63 RPAs were received and 14 have withdrawn for a total of 49 FEMA approved open applications.
- Kickoff Meeting: 56 Kickoff Meetings have been completed leaving 1 remaining to be scheduled once through FEMA's review queue. It is currently anticipated all kickoff meetings will be complete by 1/31/2015.
- PW: 215 PWs are anticipated to be written as a result of the Napa Earthquake. Currently, 75 PWs are in draft, 72 PWs are entered into the federal database system, 58 of which have been obligated.
- Exit Briefing: 14 applicants have had Exit briefings conducted.

### Individual Assistance

- The FEMA and State VAL continue to work with nonprofit organizations in Napa County regarding Long Term Recovery efforts.
   The Napa Earthquake Recovery Group, aka, eNERGy will be holding a general meeting.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. The Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG), a long term recovery group, has formed and has established by-laws and elected an Executive Board. United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) will provide case management training to local organizations in Napa and Solano counties.
- The registration deadline for individuals and businesses to request FEMA and SBA assistance closed on Monday, 12/29/14.
- Assistance Centers The Local Assistance Center (LAC) in Napa transitioned to an SBA DLOC on Tuesday 12/30/14. The smaller operation maintains a presence by SBA staff. Hours of operation are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.



# **RECOVERY ACTIVITIES**

#### 2014 Statewide December Winter Storms

On 12/22/14, Governor Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency in Marin, Mendocino, San Mateo, and Ventura Counties to allow Caltrans to formally request immediate assistance through FHWA's ER Program in order to obtain federal assistance for highway repairs or reconstruction for damages sustained as a result of the statewide storms impacting California. After assessing the damages, Caltrans is requesting the Governor update his proclamation to include Alameda, Contra Costa, Del Norte, Humboldt, Lake, Los Angeles, Monterey, Orange, San Francisco, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sonoma, Tehama, and Yolo Counties. Cal OES' Recovery Section conducted an assessment to verify the Counties of Lake, Marin, San Mateo, Sonoma, and Tehama's Public Assistance estimates for debris removal, emergency work, and permanent restoration of public facilities in order to determine potential eligibility for State funding.

## **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

### Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a biweekly state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.



# **CAL OES Missions**

### **Ongoing Cal OES Missions**

• 2015-LAW-8383, 1/21/2015, 1615 hours, Sonoma County Sheriff's Department requesting two HRD K9 to assist in searching for a MP that has been missing since 12/7/2014. The search is scheduled for Saturday, 1/24/2015 with a 0800 hour briefing. ICP will be Rancho Adobe Fire Department in Penngrove, California. Cal OES LEB coordinating the response. Mission Ongoing.



## Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.